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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 First Named Inventor: Bouic, Phillip J. Group Art Unit: Application No.: 10/617894 1771 Filed: July 11, 2003 Examiner: Vo. Hai Title: Patterned Polymer Articles This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application. 1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114 \boxtimes Previously submitted \boxtimes Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on March 13, 2006. (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered) Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ii. Other iii. Enclosed Amendment/Reply i. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) ii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/Supplemental IDS iii. Other iv. 2. A Request for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently 3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.) The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees or credit any overpayments to: Deposit Account No. 13-3723. RCE fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) Í. Other: The RCE fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(e) will be made at the time of submission ïì. via EFS-Web. Respectfully submitted, Pamela L. Stewart, Reg. No.: 45,707 Telephone No.: 651-733-2059

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